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The Way of Our World

IN THE DAY'S NEWS-Half of the world's supply of aluminum comes from Arkansas.

The people of the island of Trini-dad saw their first airplane recently. President Hoover shook hands with 1775 persons in one day re-

The approximate amount of gas-sine used in New York in one day is 500,000 gallons.

A city in Wales, which was buried during a sandstorm in 1317, is to be uncovered by roadbuilders.

Peco Gil, butcher of Porterville.

Calif. lassoed a buck deer from an open touring car in Frasier Valley. A hold-up man found that Carl riddner of Danbury, Conn., had only at in his purse so he gave it back. The new night trans-continental air mail plane will link St. Louis and Los Angeles with a twenty-four

Backhus, the great planist, carries his our piano and piano stool with him, and says that a stool wears out

close a \$500,000 deal. Fortune tellers in Peking have

been granted another three months d other means of occupation by the local government.

planning on taking a cruise in J. P. the acts were carried out in the ilMorgan's yacht. Corsair, visiting lumination of a spotlight.

Athens, Alexandria, and Jerusalem.

women's clubs of Tacoma, Wash., Troop 2, under the direction of have united in a crusade against the advertising on billboards and in newspapers of cigarette smoking by the condensate william G. Stephenson. women and girls.

Six high school girls of Jacksonville, Fla., were ordered home to
put on "decent" clothes when they
appeared in class wearing the page appeared in class wearing the new sun back" dresses.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren W. Potter of Chippewa Falls, Wis., have begun their sixty-first year of married life; Ella Theeler Wilcox, author and poet, was the maid of honor at their marriage, March 23, 1869.

Lawrence Fisher, vice-president of General Motors, has purchased a fourteen-passenger air yacht, the largest ever built by Fokker, for little jaunts here and there." Guy Martinez, a Frenchman living

in Sapula, Okla., eats bacon and eggs three times a day because he locs not know any English except that which denotes "bacon and eggs." A roomful of rocks at the Penn-sylvania State College is valued at \$100,000. Every known variety of rock in the world forms what is said to be the only exhibit of its kind. Prior to 1820, rope was made entirely by hand and this was one of the earliest industries of the colonies New England, ropewalks being

established in Boston as early as terial for airplane construction is a novel "lumber" made by pressing together two sheets of hard rubber with a layer of sponge between them.

Baby dinosaurs and children of modern-day children who have insufficient sunlight and improper diet are afflicted with the disease,

COMMENTS ON LIFEthe sport of kings. It is in great danger of becoming the toy of de-mocracies.—George W. Wickersham. Buch cataclysms as war do not incline the minds of men to spirituality, but instead bring about a retrogression to the primitive bonds from which we believed we had escaped.— Dr. William C. Poole.

-AND SOME VERSE

The eyes of little girls and boys Are starred with evanescent joys.

The eyes of youth are steel-keen Probing truth and circumstances.

Middle-aged eyes are dulled with mistrust
Of dreams that have proven mirages

and dust Only in old eyes is there a bond With vistas and space—with some-things beyond

-Ethel Romig Fuller,

or and the state of the

200 COLUMBIA SCOUTS TAKE PART IN RALLY

First Aid, Rope Work. and Building Are Demonstrated

Highest Score in Kite Contest

Two hundred Columbia Boy Scouts. him, and says that a stool wears out representing nine troops, participated in two seasons.

E. J. Zahner, business man, hired Saturday night. The Drum and precipitation, 1.34. "taxi" airplane to take him from Bugle Corps, which has been under Louis to New York in time to the tutelage of Prof. H. E. Small for the past few weeks, furnished a martial tone for the program.

The basic ideals of the Scout law were presented in pantomime by Troop 9, a platform being erected ut The Archbishop of Canterbury is one end of the gymnasium on which

Practical demonstrations were The Chinese people in Manufactures smoke eight and a half billion cigar-ettes every year, according to figures engineering. The cleverest performance of the evening was the erection of a bridge approximately twelve to the center of the earth and up feet high constructed entirely from to the "sky." according to the National Association of Real Estate minutes were consumed in outlding

nasium at the end of the : ture automobiles collided ex their occupants developed severe

Prizes were awarded to the winners of the atternoon's kite-flying contest, which was conducted by the partment. Douglas Griffith received the highest score, having taken first place in altitude, tug-of-war, and the largest kite, and second place in the messenger contest. Lawrence Trombley received second honors by having the smallest kite and the best stunk kite, and by having tied for first place for the most artistic kite.

Robert Calhoun had the third hole.

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GIVES UP AFTER ACCIDENT chemical test will determine whether ceeded in making away with most the charge against Demosey will be of the sacks which had been hidden.

> cating liquors. Paroles were ordered continued in the cases of Sam Colts. George Winn. Ralph Fast, and Howard Barnes. Ralph Fast, and Howard Barnes, James Via was given a final dis-James Via was given a final discharge from his parole by Judge

S. K. Hartley, employe at Stephens divorce from Mattie Hartley. They were married in 1916 and have four children. Judge Collier ordered the case to be heard next Monday.

Chicken Acted As Dime Ban': Three dimes of the same series were found in a chicken's giz-zard yesterday at the Ninth Street Piggly-Wiggly store by an employe of the store. chicken came from some Swift & Company feeding station J. R. Richards, in whose keeping will return them to their rightful owner upon identification,

The Weather

For Columbia and vicinity: Mostly unsettled tonight and Tuesday; prob-ably showers and local thunder-storms; not much change in tempera-

For Missouri: Mostly unsettled to-night and Tuesday; probably showers and local thunderstorms; not much change in temperature.

Weather conditions: Since Saturcurred over a relatively narrow strip of country extending from Texas northeast to Michigan; the heaviest amounts, one to three inches, tell PANTOMIME, MUSIC GIVEN over the southern and eastern parts of Missouri. The summer-like warm'h Douglass Griffith Has Highest Score in Missouri. The summer-lake warm'n of last week has been replaced by cooler and more seasonable temperatures generally. It is still wintry in the upper Plains and northern Rocky Mountains but that is not unusual for those northern latitudes. The freezing line, however, stops in Nebraska. Seasonable to cool weather will prevail in Missouri for several

PLOW SHARE IN PASSING TRUCK KILLS FARMER

J. M. Hathman Struck While Walking on Highway 63

WAS BURIED YESTERDAY President Brooks.

Prathersville Man Survived by Two Brothers Living Here

John Milton Hathman, 69, farmer, trecreational leadership class of the was killed Saturday afternoon on University physical education de-Highway 63 near Prathersville when

Mr. Hathman was a bachelor. Two received special recognition by havbrokers of Hathman, Andrew and
lity attorney and graduate of the
ing at the performance the largest
number of invited guests.

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## EGG HUNT AGAIN

felony or a misdemeanor, because The chairman of the egg hunt comficial egg hunt has been given.

YELLOWAY TO PAY DAMAGES

in Jefferson (ity Court
Damages amounting to \$10,000 immediately called in before the were awarded to Mrs. Minnie D. Milmeeting and he in turn summoned College, entered proceedings for a ler of Lawrence, Kan., Friday, by Circuit Judge Westhues of Jefferson City in a suit against the Yelloway

12:15 a. m. Sunday.

DEGRAFF OUT; SUSPEND MEYER FOR ONE YEAR

Decision Reached After 19 Hours of Deliberation

MOWRER NOT MENTIONED

Edict Is Compromise Between Conflicting Board Members

The University Board of Curators reached a compromise decision yes-terday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock after nearly nineteen hours of deliberation on the Executive Board's action which had recommended the permanent dismissal of Prof. Max F. Meyer of the psychology department and Dr. Harmon O. DeGraff of the sociology department for their part in the distribution of 1000 questionnaires, dealing with sex matters, among the men and women students of the University.

By this decision Dr. DeGraff is

By this decision Dr. DeGraff is dismissed today as a member of the University faculty and Dr. Meyer is suspended as a University professor for a period of one year starting today, without pay.
O. H. Mowrer, formerly an assist-

ant in the psychology department, was not mentioned in the board's action. No further consideration of his dismissal on March 20 as a student assistant by the Executive Board was called for, according to

Committee System Recommended In order to protect the University from similar indiscretions, the board recommended "that the general faculty establish, by committee or otherwise, some system providing for the careful supervision of all investigations affecting students. It is further ordered that the secretary be in-structed to destroy all answered questionnaires now sealed and deposited in the vault of the University."

having the smallest kite and the best stunt kite, and by having tied for first place for the most artistic kite.

Robert Calhoun had the third highest score, having received first place in the messenger contest, and a tie for first for the most artistic kite.

Frederick Howard was second in the tug-of-war.

A large crowd witnessed the pertug-of-war.

A large crowd witnessed the performance of the Boy Scouts and offered lusty applause at the end of each feature. Bleachers were erected each feature. Bleachers were erected accommodate the gymnasium to accommodate the gymnasium to the sex manner.

Lon Cole were in the Ford truck of Curators did reverse the decision. The entire hearing on the sex questionnaire episode, which began Saturday morning about 10 o'clock, was conducted much as a court trial. Dr. DeGraff and Dr. Meyer were not driving fast.

accommodate the guests. Troop 1 Mr. Hathman was a bachelor. Two Dr. DeGraff and Dr. Meyer were represented throughout the proced-ure by Leland Hazard, a Kansas

Having robbed the Sinclair station, the bandits went across HighAbout the only excitement of the day for those walting outside occurred late in the afternoon when curred late in the afternoon when specific across High than as members of the faculty rather oil station where \$15 in cash was carried late.

Having robbed the Sinclair station to be bandits went across Highway 36 and held up the Renner's of the association. The remarks by Dr. Schlundt were than as members of the association. The remarks by Dr. Schlundt were in answer to a question put to him curred late in the afternoon when taken.
Sentor C. M. Buford, of Ellington.
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We used to think that war was shine, or corn liquor is a felony. The sport of kings. It is in great while a charge of a misdemeanor is tained in the sacks found yesterday a great many more copies for disment.

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Dr. Meyer and DeGraff. A little later a number of students formerly

Bus Overturns: No Serious Injuries
An eastbound Yelloway bus overleaving Kansas City Saturday evening. None of the passengers was seriously injured. The bus was scheduled to arrive in Columbia at 12.15 a. m Sunday.

| Bus Overturns: No Serious Injuries and whether they had neglected to tighten the product of tighten (Continued on Page Five)

The Statement by the Board of Curators

The Board of Curators' statement is as follows: "It is hereby ordered by the Board of Curators of the University

of Missouri that the board concurs in and approves the report of the Executive Board of the University of Missouri dated March 20. 1929, containing statement, orders, and recommendations of said Executive Board relating to certain questionnaires recently circulated among certain students of the University, except that the recommendations and statements therein as affecting Dr. Max F. Meyer be modified as hereinafter ordered, in view of his long service to the University and our conviction that the offense for which he was suspended will not be repeated.

"It is further ordered that Dr. Max F. Meyer be and he hereby is suspended effective April 8, 1929, from the discharge of further duties in the University, without pay, for a period of one year from that date.

"It is further ordered that the services of Dr. Harmon O. DeGraff be terminated beginning April 8, 1929.

"It is further ordered that except as aforesaid said report, orders, and recommendations be approved and adopted as the action of the full board.

"It is further ordered that the following recitals in said report be made a part of this order, to-wit:

Whatever else a university may be, it must be a place to which parents may send their children with full confidence that the surrounding moral atmosphere will be sane and wholesome. Fortunately such is now the condition at the University of Missouri.

'Persons most familiar with the personal standards of conduct and character among the student body testify that conditions are most favorable. It is clear that the promiscuous circulation of questionnaires

which by every tenet of sound sense and common decency should have been suppressed, was in no sense a reflection of any morbid or unsatisfactory conditions affecting the whole student body. "'It is the opinion of the Executive Board that students should

not be made subjects of investigation by other students particularly when such investigation by its very nature tends to create the condition which it is alleged to correct. "'Neither can we find any justification for an inquiry that from

its very nature could not produce any scientifically valid conclusions nor any facts likely to be of substantial value. "We feel that the responsible individuals have a radically

mistaken conception of the essential conditions which must prevail in order to establish and maintain public confidence in the University.'

"In order to protect the University from a recurrence of similar indiscretions, it is recommended that the general faculty establish, by committee or otherwise, some system providing for the careful supervision of all investigations affecting students. It is further ordered that the secretary be instructed to destroy all answered questionnaires now sealed and deposited in the vault of the University."

## **NEAR CLARENCE**

Traced by Lone Finger Print

One of two bandits who neld up

Mr. Hatman was a bacnetor. Two persists being received special recognition by have instablished in Boston as early as 1942.

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Leslie Cowan will supervise the work of the three departments under the title of University secretary. The details of organization and personnel of the combined offices are now being worked out by Mr. Cowan

Are Left Hidden

Sentor C. M. Buford, of Ellington, arrived on the scene and asked to see the curators for a few minutes. Upon coming out of the board meeting, Senator Buford was surrounded by interested students. Senator Buford seemed to be very several suspects and took their finger

Leslie Cowan will supervise the worked out by the local detective bureau notified Winn at 8:30 o'clock Saturday morning. Working with the deputy sheriff and a constable of Shelby County, Winn rounded up sode here.

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terday afternoon.

BANDIT CAPTURED | LOCAL PROFESSORS TAKE NO ACTION

Harley Walker, 20, Is Contrary to Rumor, They Have Not Discussed Curator's Decision

Contrary to certain rumors on the and robbed Renner's Oil Station and University campus today the local the Sinclair Oil Station at Clarence, group of the American Association Mo., last Friday night was captured late Saturday afternoon by E. F. Winn of the Royal Detective Bucal of Columbia. He was traced by cording to Dr. Herman Schlundt, because of the local chapter.

In reply to a question as to wheth-er he had a questionnaire, Senator company vault. The storage rooms Buford said he had one, had read it, and office are also protected against Announcing his car had struck and cago. Mr. Nelson is also a Missouri fatally injured Mrs. Margaret Kin-der, 72, Watson B. Drebert, a salesman, appeared at police headquarters change into the field of merchanwith his attorney today. The wom-an's death had been reported previ-Students Are Called

After an hour for dinner Saturday night, the board convened again at 7:30 o'clock. Attorney Hazard was immediately called in before the firm the following the state of the firm March 26 until April 4. Kinder

SUIT CONTINUANCE PROTESTED

Mrs Miller's spine was twisted in an accident on Highway 63 between Columbia and Jefterson City two years ago. She has been an invalid since the injury.

Called by Hazard.

These students who were examined by Hazard were: Marion Dry, Glen Dyane he had been repairing.

Elmer Woods, who is also employed at the Columbia. KANSAS CITY, April 8 (U.P.)—A continuance of the case in which Elmer Woods, who is also employed at Clinkscales, was in the piane at the time of the accident. Martin, whether they had read the questionnaire, their ages, and whether they had read the questionnaire, their ages, and whether they had neglected to tighten the product of the case in which was protested by Mrs. Woodside to-day.

Note Is Dropped From Airplane A note directed to Mrs J. V. Adams and Miss Mirlam Adams, written by Robert C. Adams, court reporter of Kansas City, was found on the Stephens College Country Club grounds yea-terday by J. R. Richards. It had evidently been dropped from an airplane, and was dated April 6. Mr. Richards found it while hiding eggs for the egg-hunt which was to have been held yesterday on the club grounds.

MRS. I. W. McCOWAN DIES Long-Time Resident Near Rocheport

Is Buried Today

Mrs. I. W McCowan. 64, died of a complication of diseases yesterday morning at her home four miles \*ast of Rocheport. She was well known in that neighborhood and had lived on the same farm since her marriage. She and her husband would soon have celebrated their golden

wedding anniversary.

She is survived by her husband and seven children, Mrs. Carl Baldwin. Cactus. Ariz.; Ralph McCowan. Sedalia; Mrs. R. L. Douglass, Nettie, Pearl, Roy and Frank McCowan, all of Columbia: one brother, Norman Dunham, and eleven grandchildren. Puneral services were held this afternoon at the Locust Grove Church near Midway, of which Mrs. McCowan was a member. was in the cemetery there. Burial

TALK BY LOEB OPENS DERBY DAY PROGRAM

Former M. U. Dean Discusses Govern-

D. M. Nelson Speaks on Growth of Chain

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Students of the School of Busi-

ness and Public Administration are today holding their first Commerce Day, which they hope to make an annual affair.

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The program started this morning at 10 o'clock in the Tiger Hotel ballroom with F. A. Middlebush, dean of the school, giving the address of weldenie. The first and chief speaker was kidder Loeb, an alumnus of the University and now deen of the School of Business and Public Administration at Washington University. St. Louis, who snoke on versity. St. Louis, who spoke on the "Changing Relationship of Gov-

reau of Columbia. He was traced by a lone finger print left on papers in the cash register in the Sinclair station and admitted the robbery after considerable grilling. The bandit gave his name as Harley Walker, age 20, and his residence as five miles north of Clarence, where he was captured.

Two bandits, wearing masks that

tion and the amendments subsequently enacted. Chief among these, he said. was the power of Congress given to the national government questions which Sinclair refused to

prophesy in which direction the was guilty of so many serious crimes

alumnus, taking a B.S. in Chemical Engineering in 1911. He calls his

dising "an accident."

Nelson Talks on Chain Store Mr. Nelson said that he believed the college man had, up to the present time, been neither essential to nor successful in the business world. He immediately qualified his Opal K. Martin, a mechanic at Clinkscales' Garage, was injured yesan accident on Highway 82 ha

Opal K. Martin, a mechanic at Clinkscales' Garage, was injured yesterday afternoon at the Columbia
Airport by the propeller but of the former to provide something to interest the more highblame on the employers rather than something to interest the more highly educated man, with his natural

factor in the merchandising "game."

"The chain store," he said, "is a

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## H. F. SINCLAIR TO SERVE 3-MONTH JAIL SENTENCE

Supreme Court Gives Decision in Oil Man's Case

TERM MAY START SOON

Imposed for Contempt of Senate in Teapot Dome Hearing

WASHINGTON, April 8 (U.P.)— Harry F. Sinclair, the oil man, must serve the three-month jail sentence imposed for contempt of the Senate in refusing to answer the Benate Teapot Dome committee's questions in 1924, the Supreme Court decided

The high court affirmed the decision of the District of Columbia Supreme Court in which he was con-victed two years ago.

Justice Pierce Butler of Minnesota, who announced the decision, said the Supreme Court affirmed the con-viction and sentence on the first of the four counts on which the oil man was convicted. Must Surrender in Twenty-Five Days

The oil multi-millionaire was not present. He is believed to be in his New York home. Under ordinary procedure, the court's mandate will be sent to federal authorities in twenty-five days, at which time Sin-clair will be called on to surrender. ment and Business

This was the only jail sentence imposed as a direct result of the famous oil scandals of 1923-34. Sinclair and some associates also have been sentenced for jury-shadowing, and their appeal is now pending before the function.

committee, and he was indicted a few days later on ten counts, each specifying a question. He was convicted on four counts by a jury, and sentenced to pay a \$500 fine and

the mandate sent down "forthwith" which would require the sentence

by making use of all the powers granted it in the original constitution and the amendments subserving the subse Congress, he added, had full power to inquire into the various claims

> answer concerned outsiders' claims to the rich petroleum reserves. favorable comment among senators. Capper of Kansas said: righteous decision and it will have a very wholesome effect."
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> Norbeck of North Dakota: "The

> way of the transgressor is hard."
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> Norris of Nebraska: "That is a vindication of the law." a long way toward clarifying the powers of the Senate in reference to contempts. Sinclair himself is escaning very lightly indeed because be

against the government. King of Utah: "The decision is right. I never had any doubt about the Senate's powers." Senator Walsh of Montana who conducted the examination of Sinclair before the Teapot Dome Investigation Committee was out of

town and could not be reached. Sincialr Not Located Today NEW YORK, April 8 (U.P.)—Har-ry F. Sinclair's New York office, when informed today of the Supreme Court decision affecting the oil man, said they were not certain whether he would care to comment. They would not divuige his present whereabouts

SIX TO GRADUATE AT ANGELL

School Near Centralia Closes 8-Month Term This Week Charles E. Northcutt, county school superintendent, will award six cer-tificates of graduation from the Mr. Nelson discussed the chain eighth grade tomorrow afternoon at store as the most important single store as the most important single the Angell School two miles west of